

# 5 steps to become better prepared

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## Make an emergency grab bag – consider:

- Torch
- Keys
- Medication
- First aid kit
- Toiletries
- Important documents
- Radio and batteries
- Money and credit cards
- Clothing and blankets
- Mobile phone and charger
- Pet food
- Food and water
- Emergency contacts



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## Make a 'Household Emergency Plan'

Make an emergency plan for your home and practice it with your household. Your plan should include: contact numbers, how to turn off your gas, electricity and water, and sources of information and advice.



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## Sign up for weather and flood alerts

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- Get Environment Agency Flood Warnings: [www.gov.uk/get-flood-warnings](http://www.gov.uk/get-flood-warnings)



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## Check your flood risk

Check your home's flood risk by visiting the Environment Agency website at [www.gov.uk/check-long-term-flood-risk](http://www.gov.uk/check-long-term-flood-risk)



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## Join the Priority Services Register

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